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1. FOLLOWING IS LATEST VERSION OF DETAILED PROGRAM.

2. SATURDAY, AUGUST 5
2045 ARRIVAL AT BEN-GURION AIRPORT. ARRIVAL SCENARIO
REMAINS AS DESCRIBED PARAS. 2 - 7, REF A.

2200 ARRIVE AT KING DAVID HOTEL. PARTY WILL BE MET BY CONSUL
GENERAL NEWLIN AND KING DAVID MANAGER FINK. POSSIBLE PRIVATE
MEETING WITH FOREIGN MINISTER DAYAN AT KING DAVID SHORTLY AFTER
ARRIVAL.

3. SUNDAY, AUGUST 6
0900 MEETING WITH U.S. MIDDLE EAST GROUP IN SECRETARY'S SUITE.

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0930 SECRETARY DEPARTS HOTEL FOR THE PRIME MINISTRY.

0940 PRIVATE MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER, ACCOMPANIED BY
AMBASSADOR LEWIS.

0945 REMAINDER OF PARTY DEPARTS HOTEL FOR PRIME MINISTRY.

1000 MEETING AT PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE WITH MINISTERIAL SECURITY COMMITTEE. ISRAELI PARTICIPANTS INCLUDE PRIME MINISTER BEGIN, DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER YADIN, FOREIGN MINISTER DAYAN, DEFENSE MINISTER WEIZMAN, INTERIOR MINISTER BURG, AGRICULTURE MINISTER SHARON

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COMMERCE MINISTER HURVITZ AND, FROM PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE, DIRECTOR GENERAL BEN-ELISSAR AND ADVISORS PORAN (MILITARY AFFAIRS), AVNER (DIASPORA AFFAIRS) AND HARRY HOROWITZ (NEW ADVISOR ON FOREIGN INFORMATION, RECENTLY ARRIVED FROM SOUTH AFRICA) AND COL. TEHILA. THERE WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE OTHERS. U.S. PARTICIPANTS: SECRETARY'S PARTY - VANCE, ATHERTON, CARTER, SAUNDERS, QUANDT, STERNER, KORN, MARTHINSEN, SHERMAN; AMERICAN EMBASSY - AMBASSADOR LEWIS, POLCONS BLACKWILL, POLOFF FEIFER (NOTETAKER). AFTER MEETING ENDS, PRESS WILL BE WAITING OUTSIDE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE. SECRETARY VANCE IS LIKELY TO BE ASKED QUESTIONS. HE MAY WISH TO MAKE BRIEF STATEMENT AND TO TAKE A FEW QUESTIONS. PRIME MINISTER MIGHT LIKE TO JOIN SECRETARY IN THIS PRESS ENCOUNTER.

1300 LUNCH AT PLAZA HOTEL ATTENDED BY SECRETARY, AMBASSADOR LEWIS, DAYAN AND RUBINSTEIN. REMAINDER OF PARTY RETURNS TO KING DAVID.

1600 WORKING MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER BEGIN AT PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE. ISRAELI PARTICIPANTS: BEGIN, YADIN, DAYAN, WEIZMAN; U.S. PARTICIPANTS: VANCE, ATHERTON, LEWIS, CONFIDENTIAL

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SAUNDERS. PRESS ENCOUNTER SIMILAR TO THAT AFTER MORNING SESSION CAN BE ANTICIPATED.

2030 LEAVE HOTEL ON FOOT (THREE-MINUTE WALK) FOR DINNER AT MISHKENOT SHA'ANANIM. RESERVATIONS MADE FOR PARTY OF TEN.

4. MONDAY, AUGUST 7

0730 BAGGAGE READY FOR PICKUP OUTSIDE ROOMS.

0830 BREAKFAST WITH SHIMON PERES IN SECRETARY'S HOTEL SUITE (TENTATIVE).

0945 POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL MEETING WITH BEGIN. IF CONFIRMED, DEPART HOTEL 0935.

1015 POSSIBLE PRESS CONFERENCE AT KING DAVID DINING ROOM. THIS TIMING WILL REQUIRE THAT ACCOMPANYING PRESS FILE FROM ALEXANDRIA.)

1045 PRESS DEPART FOR AIRPORT.

1110 SECRETARY'S PARTY DEPARTS FOR BEN GURION AIRPORT.

OFFICIALS FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY WILL ACCOMPANY
THE PARTY TO THE AIRPORT, WITH THE VEHICLE ASSIGNMENTS AS
IN THE MOTORCADE ON ARRIVAL.

1145 ARRIVAL AT AIRPORT - CARS DRIVE OUT ON TARMAC NEAR
AIRCRAFT WHERE MICROPHONES AND FENCED-OFF AREA WILL BE SET UP -
SECRETARY MAY WISH TO MAKE BRIEF DEPARTURE STATEMENT. OPEN PRESS
COVERAGE.

AFTER THE OFFICIAL PARTY BIDS FAREWELL TO THEIR HOSTS,
AMBASSADOR AND MRS. LEWIS AND MINISTER AND MRS. DAYAN
WILL WALK SECRETARY AND MRS. VANCE TO THE PLANE RAMP.

1200 DEPART FOR CAIRO.
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